

PATENT

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 24, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.